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In the claims

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Please cancel claims 4, 18, 19 and 20

Please amend claims 6-11 as follows. A clean copy of all pending claims accompanies this Amendment.

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6. (Amended) An isolated polynucleotide comprising the polynucleotide of Claim[s] 1 [or 2] operably associated with a heterologous coding sequence.

7. (Amended) A vector comprising the polynucleotide of Claim[s] 1[, 2, 3 or 4].

8. (Amended) An expression vector comprising the polynucleotide of Claim[s] 1[, 2, 3 or 4] operably associated with a heterologous coding sequence.

9. (Amended) A genetically engineered host cell comprising the polynucleotide of Claim[s] 1[, 2, 3 or 4].

10. (Amended) A genetically engineered host cell comprising the polynucleotide of Claim[s] 1[, 2[, 3 or 4] operably associated with a heterologous coding sequence.